	Private concerns—(concld.)	*No. of employees*
16	Mysore Silk Filatures, T-Narsipur	738
17	Sri Shankara Textile Mills, Ltd., Davangere... ...	1,004
18	Bangalore Transport Co., Ltd., Bangalore	850
19	Imperial Tobacco Manufactures (India) Ltd., Bangalore ...	2,400
20	The Mysore Sugar Co., Ltd., Mandya	1,500

Government Concerns (State Government)

1	The Mysore Iron and Steel Works, Bhadravathi ...	5,151
2	Government Silk Filatures, Kankanhalli	609
3	Government Electric Factory, Bangalore	984
4	Mysore Government Road Transport Workshop, Bangalore ...	800
5	The Bangalore Power and Light Station, Bangalore ...	500
6	The Cauvery Power Generating Station, Sivasamudram ...	645
7	Mahatma Gandhi Hydro-Electric Works, Jog Falls ...	580

Central Government Concerns

1	The Indian Telephone Industries, Ltd., Durvaninagar ...	2,000
2	E.M.E. Workshops, Bangalore	1,602
3	Central Workshops, Southern Railways, Mysore South ...	1,862
4	Vehicle Group Workshop, Whitefield	1,070
5	Hindustan Aircraft, Ltd., Bangalore	6,437
6	515 Command Workshops, Bangalore	1,322

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Out of the factories mentioned in the Appendix, two private factories, three Mysore Government Factories and two Central Government Factories have not complied with the Factories Act; have they been exempted, Sir ?

*Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.-No.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Is it possible to enforce labour enactments if the Government factories themselves fail to implement the requirements of the Factories Act ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I am pursuing the matter of private concerns as well as State concerns to conform to these provisions.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—As regards the Central Government factories, does it fall within the jurisdiction of the State Government to enforce the labour enactments ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—It does not actually fall within the jurisdiction of the State Government. But still the Government has been using its good offices.

Industrial Tribunals.

Q.—234. Sri D. VENKATESH (Gandhinagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) how many Industrial Tribunals are functioning to-day;

(*b*) when they were appointed;

(*c*) the number of cases referred to each of them;

(*d*) the number of cases disposed of since their appointments ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(*a*) Two Industrial Tribunals have been constituted. One of them is actually functioning. The other has not yet started work.

(*b*) The Tribunal with Sri V. Venugopal Mudaliar as Chairman was constituted on 26th June 1954 and the one-man Tribunal with Sri B. R. Ramalingiah was constituted on 14th August 1954.

(SRI A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.)

(c) *Cases referred to Sri V. Venugopal Mudaliar Tribunal.*—

Cases pending adjudication when the Tribunal took charge.	...	21
Cases referred to it after its constitution.	...	5
Total	...	26

Cases referred to Sri B. R. Ramalingiah Tribunal.—

All pending disputes between the Workers and Management of the Mysore Mills and Minerva Mills, Ltd.

(d) Two cases by the Sri Venugopal Mudaliar Tribunal.

Nil by the Sri Ramalingiah Tribunal.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Why was this Ramalingiah Tribunal appointed, Sir ?

***Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.**—Both the management and the employees said that in the interest of expediting the work, a special tribunal may be constituted.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Has the purpose been achieved, Sir ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Unfortunately, no.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Will the Government try to do justice by asking Sri Ramalingiah to carry on and dispose of the matter as early as possible ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Yes, it has been done.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Is it not a fact that on account of change of tribunals too often, the workers of the Maharaja and Minerva Mills have suffered a lot last year ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—He has now been requested.

Sri M. V. RAMA RAO.—Was it the result of the hunger-strike, that was being carried on by an employee of the Maharaja Mills that this tribunal was re-appointed to look into the case ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—There was a hunger-strike, but it has not influenced the Government.

Sri M. V. RAMA RAO.—Is it a fact that one Hon'ble Minister went and met the man and was persuaded by him to appoint this tribunal ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—No, Sir.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Is it a fact that Sri Ramalingiah has asked to fix up some time limit for adjudicating these disputes ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—He has been writing about some terms.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—What has the Government told him, Sir, in reply to his request ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Government is not disposed to consider these terms.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Will the Government direct him immediately to commence proceedings in the dispute ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—We have already directed proceedings and, otherwise, other measures will be taken.

Industrial dispute relating to T.R. Mills.

Q.—236. **Sri D. VENKATESH** (Gandhinagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they have received any petition from the workmen against the Proprietor of T. R. Mills for recovery of money due from him as per the provisions of the Industrial Disputes (Amendment) Act 43 of 1953 :

(i) for payment of compensation in respect of lay off ;

(ii) for payment of compensation to retrenched workers ;

(b) whether the proprietor has followed Section 25 H of the abovesaid Act in re-employing the retrenched workmen ;

(c) if so, how many workmen are working in the T. R. Mills and how many of them are re-employed from the old employees as per the requirement of the abovesaid section ?